

## **DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL**

**REPORT TO:** Communities Committee - 15 January 2007

**REPORT ON:** International Youth Work Fund III (2006-2007)

**REPORT BY:** Director of Leisure and Communities

**REPORT NO:** 23-2007

### **1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1.1 The report details an award from the department's International Youth Work Fund to enable the participation of young people from Dundee and India in a programme based in Pune, India.

### **2.0 RECOMMENDATION**

2.1 It is recommended that the Committee notes the recommended grant.

### **3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

3.1 The grant award will be met from the Department's revenue budget 2006-2007. The applicants have sought financial support for this exchange from the Commonwealth Youth Exchange Fund.

### **4.0 SUSTAINABILITY POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

4.1 Sustainability  
The award will improve access to skills, knowledge and information and/or contribute to achieving the Council's vision of self-sustaining, secure and healthy communities.

4.2 Strategic Environmental Implications  
None.

4.3 Anti-Poverty  
None.

### **5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS**

5.1 Grant assistance is awarded to groups which promote social inclusion and contribute to equalling opportunities within the City.

5.2 The exchange will promote racial awareness, multi-culturalism, international understanding and tolerance.

### **6.0 BACKGROUND**

6.1 At its meeting on 10 February 1997, the Committee approved the criteria and procedures for the Department's grant aid portfolio (Report No 127/1997 refers).

Detailed below are details of the specific grant award.

<b>Name of Applicant</b>	<b>Purpose of Application</b>	<b>Total Cost £</b>	<b>Grant Requested £</b>	<b>Grant Recommended £</b>
Grey Lodge Settlement	To assist with the costs of an outward leg of a group of 4 male and 7 female participants from Dundee who are visiting a Family Welfare Centre in Pune (India) from 9 February to 1 March 2007.	6,300	1,000	<b>1,000</b>

## **7.0 CONSULTATION**

7.1 The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executives (Finance) and (Support Services) have been consulted on this report and are in agreement with its contents.

## **8.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS**

8.1 None.

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